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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: A. Burgin et al. Attorney Docket No.: EBSI122047
Application No.: 09/993,245 Group Art Unit: 1652
Filed: November 14, 2001 Examiner: D.J. Steadman
Title: STRUCTURES AND METHODS FOR DESIGNING
TOPOISOMERASE I INHIBITORS

AMENDMENT A/
RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER/
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Seattle, Washington 98101

July 26, 2004

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	9	-	27 = 0 x 18	= 0
Independent Claims	3	-	8 = 0 x 86	= 0
TOTAL				\$0

B. Petition for Extension of Time

Applicants respectfully request that the shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Restriction Requirement dated June 18, 2004, set to expire on July 18, 2004, be extended by 1 month, to expire on August 18, 2004. The enclosed check includes the 1-month extension fee of \$110.00.

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C. Fees Enclosed

Enclosed is our Check No. 156945 in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the request for extension of time fee.

D. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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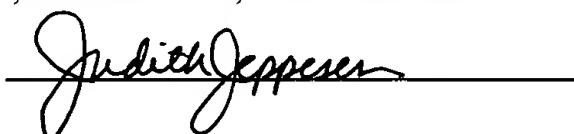


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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed June 18, 2004, please enter the following claim amendments and consider the remarks that follow.

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